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SUBJECT: MILITARY LEAVE FOR GREEK EMPLOYEES

ALSO FOR EUR/EX AND L/EUR

1. THE EMBASSY RECEIVED A COMMUNICATION FROM "THE ASSOCIATION OF FOREIGN EMBASSIES AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS LOCAL STAFF" CLAIMING THAT A NUMBER OF THE MISSIONS'S EMPLOYEES HAVE JOINED THAT ORGANIZATION. THE LETTER INDICATES THAT UNDER CURRENT LEGISLATION GREEK LABOR LAWS ARE APPLICABLE TO FOREIGN EMBASSIES EMPLOYING GREEK PERSONNEL. THE LETTER THEN STATES THAT EMPLOYEES OF THE MISSION WHO WERE MOBILIZED INTO THE GREEK ARMED FORCES WERE NOT PAID IN FULL THEIR SALARIES DURING THIS PERIOD AS REQUIRED BY GREEK LAW. THE LETTER CLOSES WITH THE FOLLOWING PARAGRAPH: "WE TRUST YOU WILL KINDLY RECEIVE US AT YOUR EARLIEST CONVENIENCE, NO LATER THAN WITHIN 10 DAYS, OTHERWISE WE SHALL HAVE NO OTHER RECOURSE THAN TO RESORT TO THE MEANS LEFT AT OUR DISPOSAL, I.E. THE GREEK MINISTRIES OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND OF LABOR, THE GREEK AND AMERICAN PRESS AND EVEN LAWSUITS SHOULD INDIVIDUALS INVOLVED DECIDE TO PRECEED."

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2. THE EMBASSY IS REVIEWING ONCE AGAIN THE LEGAL

CITATIONS INDICATED IN THE COMMUNICATION AND WILL
ADVISE THE DEPARTMENT OF ITS VIEWS.

3. UNDER SEPARATE COVER COPIES OF THE COMMUNICATION
RECEIVED ARE BEING FORWARDED.

4. A SURVEY OF ELEVEN OTHER EMBASSIES REVEALED THAT
FIVE EMBASSIES HAD NONE OF THEIR GREEK EMPLOYEES MOBILIZED
AND THE BALANCE WHICH DID HAVE EMPLOYEES MOBILIZED,
PAID THEIR SALARIES FOR VARYING PERIODS OF UP TO
THREE WEEKS.

5. THE DEPARTMENT'S ADVICE IS SOLICITED.
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